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PLAYGROUNDS OPEN JUNE 28; REVEAL STAFF

With "fun for everyone" as its theme, the Gettysburg Recreation Association plans to begin June 28 an expanded program of playground activities that will include the playground at the high school and part-time playground programs at three other sections of the town.

To conduct the summer program Ruth Fortenbaugh, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Fortenbaugh, West Broadway; Elizabeth Blocher, daughter of Mr. Henrietta Blocher, West Middle street; George Fair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fair, Steinwein avenue, and Robert March, son of Mr. and Mrs. George D. March, York street, have been selected by the recreation board from a list of 20 applicants.

The four were the ones who best met the requirements of the state which is scheduled to reimburse the school board for about half of the amounts paid to the supervisors for their summer work, the recreation board said.

To Attend Institute

Miss Fortenbaugh holds camp experience and college training. Miss Blocher is majoring in health education and recreation at West Chester State Teachers college and both Fair and March are athletes in addition to being college students. The four will attend a playground leaders' institute starting Monday and lasting through Friday at York and then will begin their duties with the local playgrounds on Monday, June 28. Courses on safety, first aid, games, recreation and handcraft are being held at the institute.

The recreation association said that the equipment at the high school grounds has been painted and repaired and can be used now by youngsters who may wish to utilize it on their own. Formal supervised play will not begin there until June 28.

The other play areas which will be served also by the supervisors, during certain hours of the day, include an area between 4th and 5th streets, loaned by Glenn C. Bream, Codori field in the north end of town and the recreation area owned by the Recreation association on the old Warner estate, near the hospital.

Plan Summer Activities

Seeking to serve as many as possible, the association plans to attempt to have as many activities as possible at the various play areas. Baseball diamonds are to be constructed, and other equipment will

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SIREN SWITCH TO BE TESTED

Bonneauville residents were warned today by the fire company that when the siren blasts at the engine house Monday evening it will not mean there is a fire, air raid, or other catastrophe, it is simply that the company has installed a new switch for its siren and is engaged in the work of coordinating switch and siren for the best effect.

The firemen, who plan to begin their work about 7 o'clock, fear that the siren will have to raise its voice a number of times during the course of the evening until all works smoothly with the new set-up. There is a possibility that the installation may be perfect and that the siren may work perfectly on the first try, but that, they admit, is more good luck than one can normally expect.

Installation of the new switch is one of a number of activities carried on by the company this summer. The Bonneauville firemen have already started work on their annual bazaar to be held July 22, 23 and 24. A large amount of new equipment has been added to the fire engine over the past few months, and other additional equipment has been secured.

The next meeting of the company will be held July 6.

ACCEPTS NEW POSITION

Miss Jacqueline Parsons, daughter of Mrs. Muriel Tyson Parsons, New York city, and granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Parsons, Flora Dale, who has been a junior researcher with Life magazine, has accepted a position as assistant editor with Collier's magazine and will assume her duties July 6. Miss Parsons is now in San Francisco, Calif., visiting her uncle, Lewis Parsons.

FILES BUSINESS NAME

Dorothy L. Wright has filed with the county prothonotary papers to permit her to operate under the fictitious name "Bonny Beauty Shop" at 48 West Middle street.

Local Weather

Yesterday's high 73
Last night's low 62
Today at 10:30 a. m. 72
Rain in last 24 hours 0.60

Wins 3 Awards At Baltimore High School

Richard M. Mumma, son of Mrs. John A. Neady, of Baltimore, and the late Richard Mumma, formerly of Gettysburg, recently graduated with honors from Kenwood high school, Baltimore.

Young Mumma won three awards, the faculty award for citizenship and the student who contributed most to school activities; an award as the student most likely to succeed and a dramatics award. He was also president of the Student Council and president of the Junior Red Cross of the school which has an enrollment of 1,700. There were 280 in the graduating class.

Mrs. Harvey Raffensperger and Mrs. Cameron Thomas, aunts and the youth's grandfather, Albert W. Cole, all of Arendtsville, attended the commencement exercises.

LITTLESTOWN LIONS INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

Installation of officers was conducted on Thursday evening at the semi-monthly meeting of the Littlestown Lions club held in Bankert's restaurant.

The installation was in charge of the Rev. Kenneth D. James, a past president of the club.

Officers installed were Harry T. Harner, president; John F. Feeser, first vice president; John R. Bloom, second vice president; W. E. Koon, third vice president; Edgar A. Wolfe, treasurer; Chester S. Byers, secretary; J. Harvey Pettyjohn, Lion tamer; John N. Sell, Tail twister; Amos L. Spangler and Leonard S. Kerchner, directors for one year; John W. LeGore and Clayton L. Evans, directors for two years; James U. Bowers, song leader.

Schedules for the year 1948-1949 were distributed to the Lions present.

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140 PUPILS GET CERTIFICATES AS SCHOOL CLOSES

Certificates of completion were presented Friday evening to approximately 140 local boys and girls who completed the prescribed courses of study in the four departments of the Daily Vacation Bible school during the last two weeks.

The exercises were held in St. James Lutheran chapel with the Rev. Floyd A. Carroll, Methodist pastor who was dean of the school, in charge. The school was sponsored by the Gettysburg Ministerium.

Pupils of the Intermediate department participated in the worship service Friday evening as boys and girls of the various departments.

After the call to worship by Phyllis Oyler and scripture reading by Ethel Sanders, Dr. Ralph R. Gresh, pastor of St. James Lutheran, offered prayer and spoke of the importance of the Bible school as a means of making the children conscious of "the things people of all Christian churches have in common."

The offertory prayer was given by the Rev. Mr. Carroll.

Studied Life Of Christ

All departments of the school studied aspects of "The Life of Christ" and the Beginners under the supervision of Mrs. Floyd Carroll briefly reviewed the two weeks of classes by giving prayers, songs and Bible verses they had learned.

Teachers Clare Carroll, Jean Little, who was also the pianist, and Betty Miller distributed diplomas to these Beginners: Chippy Craver, Richard Boyer, Michael Wieder, David Nowicki, Jo Ann Fair, Paula

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PICNIC CLOSES BIBLE SCHOOL AT BIGLERVILLE

The Twentieth Annual Daily Vacation Bible school at Biglerville closed its 1948 sessions with a picnic today.

The following were in attendance: Nursery Department teachers, Mrs. L. W. Klinefelter, Mrs. J. C. Lawyer, assistant, Shirley Bailey. Pupils: Daniel Hoover, Jean Moomaw, Dennis Ebbert, Kenneth Thomas, Carol Leinart, Gordon Harvey, David Minter, Edgar Hildebrand, Joan Warner, Robert Slonaker, Glenn Kuykendall, Freda Kuykendall, and Donald Hawbecker. Ten received diplomas.

Kindergarten Department teachers, Mrs. William Wentzel, Patricia Martin; assistant, Mary Ellen Crawford. Pupils: Joan Crist, Carol Eckert, Richard Lawyer, Paul Clapsaddle, Connie Stoner, Polly Wright, Pamela Wentzel, Natalie Burkhardt, Nancy Ditzler, Karen Cormier, Janet Schwartz, Wayne Schwartz, Beverly Eicker, Alberta Heller, Ronnie Wagner, Patsy Dearborn, Larry Guise, Nancy Ecker, Dennis Donhar, Sue Donhar, Wayne Orndorf, Sheila Fay Kime, Kathleen Lady, Brenda

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CHILDREN'S DAY SERVICE SUNDAY

The Children's Day program at the Lower Marsh Creek Presbyterian church will be presented by the Church school Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

After the prelude, there will be a selection by a rhythm band including Bill Woods, Karen Koontz, Gene Hoak, Anne Eckert, Dorothy Neely, Sue Carol Neely, Timothy Stearns, Sandy Eckert, John Lott and Mary Jane Sanders.

David Woods will serve as announcer for the program. There will be a hymn and then Gerald Trostle and Ralph Neely of the Beginners' department will receive the offering. A reading of the Twenty-third Psalm will be given by Don Neely, with Jane Stultz and the pianist. Another congregational hymn will be followed by a prayer by Anne Eckert.

Allen Krouse and Kathleen Neely of the Nursery department will sing "Jesus Loves Me." There will be recitations about "Jesus' Garden" by Jane Koontz, Dick Taylor, John Lott, Mary Jane Sanders, Sue Carol Neely, Dorothy Neely, Sandy Eckert, John Macay and Billy Kint.

Dolores Neely will sing "O Worship the King" with Jane Stultz, at the piano. Marion Krouse will read the scripture and a play, "The Kingdom of Love Begins to Grow," will be given by the following: Bill Woods, Karen Koontz, Gene Hoak, Timothy Stearns, and Dorothy Neely.

A five softball games and children's games and contests were included in the afternoon program.

Employees at the Biglerville and Gardners plants and the company farms are included in the affair.

CANT FIND MISHAP

State police, the local ambulance,

Dr. Bruce N. Wolff and borough police

united in a merry ride this

morning at 6 o'clock in search of

a motorcycle accident which was

not discovered by any of them.

Word was received by the hospital

that a motorcycle had been in an

accident near Marsh Creek Heights

on the Emmitsburg road. The doctor,

ambulance and police went as

far as Emmitsburg, but found no

evidence of the accident.

LIONS TO INSTALL OFFICERS MONDAY

New officers for the Gettysburg Lions club will be installed Monday evening at the club's weekly meeting at Sheffer's park, along the Biglerville road. The meeting will begin at 6:30 o'clock with softball and horseshoes to precede and follow the session.

Official guests from District 14C headquarters will be present to present the club as winner of a district contest in which the local Lions accumulated nearly 14,000 points to top all competitors.

Retiring President Mahlon P. Hartzell, Sr. will preside. The new officers will take over with the first meeting in July.

U.S. FRUITMEN VISIT PLANTS IN UPPER END

Three hundred fruit growers from throughout the United States this morning toured the National Fruit Product plant at Peach Glen and the C. H. Musselman plant at Biglerville during the concluding activities of the annual three-day National Apple Institute meeting.

With Adams county growers acting as hosts to the group, the growers and processors inspected the plants, and viewed in passing a number of county orchards and orchards to see the annual three-day National Apple Institute meeting.

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TRUMAN TRIP "BLASTED" BY VANDENBERG

Philadelphia, June 19 (AP) — A score of delegates, claiming covered by swift backstage moves by Gov. George E. Dewey and Senator Robert A. Taft to line up needed votes for the GOP presidential nomination,

nd Senator Arthur Vandenberg tested the curtain cloaking his position as candidate to blast President man for the western speaking from which Mr. Truman returned to Washington yesterday.

o delegates gathering here for Republican convention, Vandenberg sounded suspiciously like a who might be enticed into leading his party's anti-Truman assault November when he told a telecast audience last night:

It is a little early to subordinate national welfare to partisan ring. At least, it can be said that gress has remained faithfully at during this critical period.

Political Vacation

It has not shared the presidential duty of a self-serving political action at a moment when the e government should be on the in Washington."

most without exception, backers GOP hopefuls agreed that it would be a mighty fine thing if our own candidates could have in such a biting choice of words answer Mr. Truman's attacks on at the president has called the nation's "worst" congress.

While it gave supporters of the Michigan senator new hope that he might be open for nomination, this was not reflected by Vandenberg's closest associates.

One of these said there has been change in Vandenberg's stand, as he isn't a candidate but would refuse a nomination which came through his conniving.

Writing the Vandenberg boom off, Dewey and Taft camps fired their heaviest artillery in a battle to both tried to relegate Harold Stassen to the role of a bystander.

Lack Majority

Despite public claims to the contrary, it was nose-on-the-face plain most of the politicians here that either had lined up anything like the 548 votes needed for the nomination.

With their first ballot strength only well set, both started chipping away at the strength of Stassen, their sons and each other.

Although it was denied by Dewey's top strategists, reports came from more reliable sources that the New York governor's forces had put out Vice Presidential feeler toward Gov. Dwight Green of Illinois.

This would be in the nature of a play in strength into Taft territory, or the Ohioan's backers claim with much dispute they will get 50 of Illinois' 56 votes on the second convention ballot about next Thursday.

Green, the convention keynoter, is said to have turned down the cooler in favor of waiting to see what develops when more delegates turn up for a nose count here next week.

Stassen Confident

Stassen, admittedly third man in running at this point, kept his supporters' spirits up with a fast-moving performance in which he became the first announced candidate to appear at the convention platform committee's hearings.

Dr. Grandville R. Schultz, Baltimore street, has returned from New York where he took a post graduate course in Oral Surgery and Endodontia. Mrs. Schultz also returned with him.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Mrs. George Gilbert, Mrs. William A. Bigham and Mrs. J. G. Sneeringer entertained at a bridal shower for Miss Janet Rebert Thursday evening at Mrs. Gilbert's home on West Middle street. The guests wore corsages made of kitchen gadgets which were presented to the bride-to-be who will be married to John B. Kendlehart June 27 at the Reformed church here. Mrs. Robert Stoner received a prize for the most original corsage. A carnation corsage and additional gifts were presented to Miss Rebert. Following games, Prizes were given to Mrs. Joseph Kendlehart and Mrs. Dorsey Rebert. Among those present were Mrs. Ralph Butt, Mrs. Howard Weller, Mrs. Stanley Hull, Mrs. Robert Stoner, Mrs. Donald Fiszel, Mrs. John Nuss, Mrs. Clarence Nuss, Mrs. Robert Snyder, Mrs. Lawrence Oyler, Mrs. Joseph Kendlehart, Mrs. R. Lobins, Mrs. Dorsey Rebert, Mrs. Robert Hicks and Miss Alice Snyder.

Mrs. W. E. Wolff, Chambersburg street, and her daughter, Mrs. William A. Bond, South Weymouth, Mass., who is spending some time with her, have returned from a visit with Mrs. Wolff's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Wolff, Hershey.

Mrs. Donald P. McPherson, Jr., entertained the members of the Bandar Log club Friday evening at her home on Carlisle street. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. Norman E. Richardson, East Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. Mark Snyder entertained the members of the Friday Night card club this week at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baumgardner, Littlestown.

Mrs. Crawford W. Trostle and daughter, Yvonne, Orrtanna R. 2, and Mrs. James H. Rowe and daughters, Gertrude and Patricia Joanne, Gettysburg R. 2, have returned home after visits at Valley Forge and places of interest in and around Philadelphia. While there they visited Mrs. Rowe's husband, Chief James Rowe, at the Philadelphia Naval base.

Miss Jean Waltemyer, Springs avenue, has returned from a visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. James Smith, Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Charles W. Stock, Harrisburg street, has returned from a business trip to New York city.

The Needpoint club will meet Monday evening with Mrs. Herman Frasch, Harrisburg street.

Rev. Willis R. Doyle, rector of Prince of Peace Episcopal church, accompanied by Jack Augustine and Arthur A. Buehler, Gettysburg, are attending a conference of young people of the Episcopal Diocese of Harrisburg, at Grier School near Birmingham, Pa. Rev. Mr. Doyle is teaching a course at the conference. They will return to Gettysburg next Friday night.

Mrs. Willis Doyle is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher, Bloomsburg, Pa. The Doyle's recently returned from a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Heller, Lancaster, and Mrs. Harry W. Doyle, the Rev. Mr. Doyle's mother in Wyoming, Pa.

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WHISTLE-STOPS AROUSED OVER TAFT REMARK

Washington, June 19 (AP) — The mayors of Los Angeles, Gary, Ind., Crestline, Ohio, and various other metropolises blew the whistle on Senator Taft (R-OHIO) today for a crack about "whistle-stops."

So did the Chamber of Commerce of Pocatello, Ida., Laramie, Wyo., and other self-described non-whistle-stops. In fact, civic pride busted out all over — mostly at Taft's expense.

And the Democratic National committee chuckled fiendishly. Because it pulled the whistle poll after Taft said in a Philadelphia speech that President Truman shouldn't go around the country "blackguarding Congress at every whistle-stop."

Whistle-stop? That's a tank town, a hamlet, a mere wide place in the road. The Democrats wired 35 places across the country where Mr. Truman had spoken on his "non-political" rail tour. The question: Was it nice of the senator to call you a whistle-stop? Taft didn't mention any particular communities.

Characteristically, Senator Taft is confused," replied Laramie.

"Very poor taste," said Gary.

"Our whistles never stop blowing," said Mayor Earl L. McNutt of Eugene, Ore.

The Democrats summed it up: 73 per cent of those replying disapproved of Taft's remark, of which 7 per cent said he couldn't have been referring to their fair city. And 27 per cent simply asked for more details.

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REDS BLOCKADE BERLIN AGAIN; BAK CURRENCY

Berlin, June 19 (AP) — Soviet troops blocked all Allied and German ground travel into Berlin today in a swift reaction to western-zone currency reform. Allied officials planned a meeting to decide what to do about it.

The Russians ordered the blockade last night a few hours after the United States, Britain and France had announced a new currency reform in Western Germany tomorrow.

Their reported purpose was to keep worthless allied marks out of the Russian zone. Marshal Vassily D. Sokolovsky, Soviet commander and military governor, issued a 2,000-word proclamation early today forbidding importation of western currency, new and old, into greater Berlin and the Russian zone.

Allies Plan Action

Some circles, however, interpreted the Russian action as another attempt to drive the western powers from Berlin. Russian-controlled newspapers renewed demands that the Allies quit the city.

Gen. Lucius D. Clay, American commander and military governor, said he would meet later today with British and French colleagues to decide what action should be taken against the Soviet moves.

Junior Department teacher, Mrs. Ross Schwartz; assistants, Betty Lawver and Barbara Yoder. Pupils: Elaine Stoner, Sandra Lower, Judy Crist, Judy Shetter, Betty Lou Kuykendall, Doris Bere, Janet Ehman, Nancy Osborn, Lucile Baker, Nancy Arnold, Lola Ann Hildebrand, Freda Warner, Jimmy Smallwood, Larry Shillito, Kenny Marke, Harold Wright, Lynn Peters, Doris Longenecker, Johnnie Book, Ray Schwartz, Robert Ditzler, Donald Ebber, Doris Meisenheimer, John Bricker, Shelvie Jean Lady, Jean Hewettson, Nancy Dunlap, Donald Kuykendall, Lois Gaither, Joyce Thomas, Bryant Roe, Mary Meisenheimer, Jean Guise, Florence Staub, Merton Echenrode, Neal Lott. Ten received diplomas, five the second year seal, 15 the third year seal, and 17 the third year seal.

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Road traffic closed the International highway used by the western powers to all traffic leading to Berlin. They allowed Allied personnel to leave but not to enter the city.

Road traffic piled up at Helmstedt, where the International highway enters the Soviet zone en route to Berlin.

**ROAD BUILDING
BELOW NEEDS
SMOCK STATES**

Bedford, Pa., June 19 (AP) — Pennsylvania's gigantic highway improvement program is less than half of requirements says Ray F. Smock, state secretary of highways.

"In the first four months of 1948 the Pennsylvania roadwork underway was almost 15 per cent of the total in the U.S." Smock said in a speech yesterday at a meeting of the Pennsylvania Motor Federation. He added, however:

"The rate of road building is less than one-half the requirements as determined by engineers of the highway department."

Below Requirements

Smock said the five-year improvement set by his department called for an expenditure of \$167,000,000 a year but that estimated expenditures for the three-year 1947-49 years are only about \$83,000,000 a year.

Burton W. Marsh, of Washington, D. C., director of traffic engineering in the Safety Department of the American Automobile Association, told the 300 delegates that Pennsylvania has more than 100,000 miles of highways. He added that many of the highways are "worn-out, obsolete and unsuitable for traffic today."

The federation presented its annual honor award to Robert J. Schumane of Cleveland, president of the AAA. It was accepted on his behalf by John S. Giles of Reading, Pa., an AAA representative. Election of officers and directors to the national AAA will be held at closing sessions today.

Three of her four sons gathered for a picnic today and a family dinner tomorrow at her Gibsonia home. They were Judge A. Marshall Thompson of the Allegheny county common pleas court; Huston Thompson of Washington, who was chairman of the federal trade commission and an Assistant Attorney General in Woodrow Wilson's cabinet, and J. Harold Thompson, employed in the city controller's office.

Dr. William B. Thompson of La Jolla, Calif., was unable to attend.

Mrs. Thompson was born in Saltzburg where her ancestors had lived since the days of the French and Indian wars. Her husband, the Rev. S. H. Thompson, died 25 years ago.

The centenarian is in good health except for failing eyesight. However, she retains an avid interest in current affairs.

**6-Year Old Boy
Breaks Right Arm**

Romanus Gastley, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gastley, 68 West Railroad street, was treated at the Warner hospital Friday for a fracture of his right arm received when he was pushed against a pole while playing at the playground.

Earl Chrismer, 33, Gettysburg R. 5, received treatment Friday for a contused left middle finger received when struck by a sledge hammer while holding an iron during construction work at the Glenn C. Bremer garage.

Admissions include John Wagerman, Emmitsburg; Mrs. Clair Knouse, Biglerville R. 1; Mrs. Ray Culp, 166 Carlisle street, and Walter Cooley, Gettysburg R. 3. Those discharged were Robert McDannell, Orrtanna R. 1; Jeffery Lynn Breighner, Littlestown R. 1; Doris Ann Peters, Gardners R. 2; Richard Hess, McKnightstown; Phyllis Raffensperger, Steinwehr avenue; Diana Crum, Bendersville; Betty Mae Stair, Littlestown R. 1, and James Roy, 11 North Washington street.

Upper Communities

Miss Jean Garretson, Arendtsville, is in Philadelphia visiting a Shippensburg State Teachers' college classmate, Miss Ruth Megaw. On Friday evening they attended the music festival in the Municipal stadium.

The Senior Girl Scout troop of Biglerville will hold an outing at Caledonia park Monday. The girls are requested to meet at the Biglerville bank at 1 p. m. from where transportation will be furnished. Each girl is requested to bring her swimming suit and her own picnic supper. They are requested to notify Warren by Sunday noon whether or not they plan to attend. In case of rain the outing will be postponed until Tuesday. The girls will be accompanied by Scout leaders.

The Russians ordered the blockade last night a few hours after the United States, Britain and France had announced a new currency reform in Western Germany tomorrow.

Usually, a convention like that finishes up in one week. If it's deadlocked, it may go on for two weeks or more.

1. Will do three main things:

2. Choose a Republican candidate for President.

3. Draw up a party platform.

(This platform is a list of the Republicans' promises of what they will do for the country, if they win in November.)

Miss Blanche Slaybaugh, who has

concluded her duties as a member of the faculty of New Cumberland high school, is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. William Slaybaugh, Biglerville.

Lauren Stubbs, son of Mrs. Joseph

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ated from George school last week.

Among those from the community

who attended the National Apple Institute in Harrisburg this week were: Mr. and Mrs. John Peters, near York Springs; Mr. and Mrs. William M. Lott, Gardners R. D.; Mr. and Mrs. John G. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lott, Biglerville R. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Gries, Flora Dale, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Garretson and Mrs. May Goode, Aspers. Mrs. Peters served as chairwoman of the institute's hostess committee to assist with the entertainment of the women who were in attendance. Local members on the committee included Mrs. William Lott, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Robert Lott, Mrs. Gries, Mrs. M. E. Knouse, Arendtsville, and Mrs. B. E. Benner, Fairfield.

They said the idea seemed to be to discourage travel into Russian-occupied territory. Only persons who could prove residence there were let through, they said; interzonal passes of others were not honored.

The four-power city of Berlin is surrounded by Soviet-occupied territory. The Russian action left only one channel—the air—by which the Western Allies, army and civilian personnel could reach the city from the west.

Troops crossed the International highway used by the western powers to all traffic leading to Berlin. They allowed Allied personnel to leave but not to enter the city.

Suppose, say, 10 ballots are cast and the votes of those three men don't vary much because of their pledged votes. If then it becomes clear no one of them can get a majority, one may drop out and try to throw his votes to another.

If all three stubbornly refuse to yield to one another, a deal may have to be worked out to yield to some fourth man who, up to that time, has been a kind of "dark horse," or man who hasn't been running strong.

Below Requirements

MUSIAL SPARKS CARDS' STREAK; A'S BEAT TRIBE

BY RALPH RODEN

(Associated Press Sports Writer)
Stan Musial is on the warpath again and the fortunes of the St. Louis Cardinals are rising in the National league pennant race.

The Donora, Pa., clouter has hit safely in 10 of his last 11 official trips to the plate to boost his league-leading batting mark to .405.

His terrific hitting has sparked the Cardinals to three straight victories, two over the Philadelphia Phillies and one over the New York Giants.

Giants Fifth Reverse

In addition to pacing the circuit in batting, Musial is in the running for every other important individual offensive honor. The Red Bird Star leads the loop in runs scored, hits, and triples.

Musial went 3 for 4 against the Giants yesterday as the Cards outslugged the Giants, 12-8 in New York. It was the Giants' fifth straight defeat.

Billy Southworth's Braves came from behind and nosed out the Cincinnati Reds, 5-4, in a night game at Boston. The Braves broke a 4-4 tie in the seventh inning when Earl Torgeson singled home Ed Stanky from third.

Pirates Beat Phillips

The second place Pittsburgh Pirates turned back the Phillips, 2-0, in a night game at Philadelphia to remain a half game behind the Braves and a game ahead of the Cardinals. Elmer Riddle limited the Phils to five safeties to gain his eighth victory of the season.

The Chicago Cubs scored four runs in the eighth inning to overcome a 4-2 deficit and went on to beat the Dodgers, 6-4, in a day game at Brooklyn.

All activity in the American league took place at night. The second place Philadelphia Athletics nipped the first place Cleveland Indians, 5-4, to pull to within a game of the Tribe. The St. Louis Browns edged the New York Yankees, 2-1, and the Chicago White Sox beat the Washington Senators, 5-2.

Runs Forced In

At Cleveland, the A's came from behind and scored twice in the seventh inning when Bob Lemon, fourth Cleveland pitcher, walked Sam Chapman and Rudy York with the bases loaded.

In a well pitched game at St. Louis, Cliff Fannin held the Yankees to three hits. Tommy Henrich homered for the lone Yankee marker in the sixth. Frank Shea was the losing pitcher.

A scheduled night game between the Boston Red Sox and the Tigers in Detroit was postponed because of rain.

ROBINSON IN JAM ON WEIGHT

Sports Roundup

Chicago, June 19 (P)—The windy city seems to blow nothing but trouble for welterweight champion Sugar Ray Robinson.

When his title scrap with sleek Bernard Dousen, of New Orleans at Comiskey Park last Thursday night was announced weeks ago, Chicago boxing writers scoffed. They recalled previous Chicago dates Robinson failed to fill and said "he'll never show in the ring."

Sugar Ray didn't show up. He couldn't. The bout was postponed until next Monday because of rain.

That postponement has the "Shoog" in a pickle. He starved himself to make the legal 149-pound weight Thursday noon. Now he has to do it all over again Monday noon.

If Robinson fails to make weight Monday, but goes through with the bout as an overweight contest (to save a \$10,000 performance bond he has posted), the Illinois Athletic Commission said it will declare the welter title vacant.

Major League Leaders

(By The Associated Press)
American League

Batting—Williams, Boston, .407.
Runs batted in—Williams, Boston, .58.

Runs—Williams, Boston, .51.
Hits—Williams, Boston, .77.

Doubles—Williams, Boston, .18.

Triples—DiMaggio, New York, .8.

Home runs—Keltner, Cleveland, .16.

Stolen bases—Coan, Washington, .11.

Strikeouts—Brissie, Philadelphia, .57.

Pitching—Raschi, New York, .7-1 .875.

National League

Batting—Musial, St. Louis, .405.

Runs batted in—Sauer, Cincinnati, .51.

Runs—Musial, St. Louis, .47.

Hits—Musial, St. Louis, .83.

Doubles—Russell, Boston, .15.

Triples—Musial, St. Louis, .9.

Home runs—Sauer, Cincinnati, .19.

Stolen bases—Ashburn, Philadelphia, .15.

Strikeouts—Branci, Brooklyn, .61.

Pitching—Wehmeier, Cincinnati, .7-1 .875.

TELEVISION ON FIGHT DOUBTFUL

New York, June 19 (P)—Television fans may get a break in the return Joe Louis-Jerry Joe Walcott match Wednesday but they won't know for sure until Monday.

Sol Strauss, acting promoter of the Twentieth Century Sporting club, insists he still is working on last-minute details of the television offer. There was no television at the recent Tony Zane-Rocky Graziano show in Newark.

Strauss explains that the fight definitely will not be seen on what he calls "delayed television," by pictures to be shown after the actual contest.

When asked to confirm or deny reports that Felix Bocchicchio, who handles Jersey Joe Walcott's affairs, had said there would be television, a Twentieth Century spokesman said, "we're promoting this fight. And we'll make our announcement Monday."

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lands proposes a rule that no Class "D" or "C" club could have any players who have had more than three seasons of pro experience. . . . That might do the trick if provision was made for a few older guys to teach them. . . . Possibly some sort of territorial restriction would help so that each league and club would have to draw its material from right around home. . . . Admitting that \$175 a month isn't bad pay for an 18-year-old during the months he collects it, we contend that when a kid just out of high school is taken from, say, Pawtucket, R. I., and set down in Ponca City, Okla., to play baseball, he should be assured some way of earning a living the year around. . . . He doesn't stop eating when the season ends.

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Out Of The Past**From the Files of the Star and Sentinel and The Gettysburg Times****TEN YEARS AGO**

Rev. Putman Will Sail for Europe

Wednesday: The Rev. Dwight F. Putman will sail Wednesday noon on the "Queen Mary" as a member of the "European Seminar" conducted by Sherwood Eddy. The group is composed of about 50 persons who will study conditions in Europe.

The Rev. Mr. Putman was given movie camera equipment by members of his congregation.

During the Rev. Mr. Putman's absence, the Rev. Harold Dunkelberger will be in charge of the services and business at Christ Lutheran church.

Tyson-Windor: The marriage of Miss Charlotte Windsor and Chester Julian Tyson, Jr., was solemnized at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon in St. Luke's Methodist Episcopal church, Woodlawn, Baltimore.

Esther Gray Bigham Weds Hershey Teacher: Miss Esther Gray Bigham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gray Bigham, Biglerville, and Urwin Rowntree, Hershey, son of Mrs. Ernest Hopkinson Rowntree, Providence, Rhode Island, were married Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the Paxtang Presbyterian church, Paxtang.

Mrs. F. Lee Browne was the matron of honor. Franklin R. Bigham, Esq., was the best man.

Milhimes-Minter Wedding: Miss Marian Marguerite Minter, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther J. Minter, N. Oxford R. D., and Chas. Edw. Milhimes, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Milhimes, also of New Oxford R. D., were united in marriage at a wedding ceremony following regular Sunday morning services at St. Paul's "The Pines" Lutheran church, New Chester.

The ring ceremony of the Lutheran church was performed by the Rev. Kenneth D. James.

Alton Wolford was best man and Mrs. Wolford was matron of honor.

Mary Jane Snyder Becomes Bride of John E. Mumper: Announcements have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Snyder, 212 Springs avenue, telling of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Jane Snyder, to John Everett Mumper, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Mumper, 133 Baltimore street.

The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening before members of the immediate families and a few friends. The Rev. Dwight F. Putman performed the single ring ceremony.

Mrs. Paul Alexander Clutz, Mechanicsburg, attended the bride as matron of honor. Harry L. Snyder, Jr., was the best man.

McKenrick-Liller: Miss Frances Belle Liller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Liller, Gettysburg R. 2, and Harold Ambrose McKenrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. McKenrick, Gettysburg, were united in marriage Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock in the rectory of St. Francis Xavier Catholic church. The Rev. Raphael H. Gross, assistant rector, performed the ceremony.

William R. McCleaf and Mrs. George Cromer were the attendants.

D.A.R. to Unveil Two Markers: On Ratification Day, Tuesday, June 21, proclaimed as a holiday this year by Governor Earle, the Gettysburg chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will unveil and dedicate markers at the Russell tavern, better known as the Carey house, along the Hunterstown-Mummasburg road.

The tablet to be unveiled on the terrace in front of the house and the roadside marker along the Biglerville road nearby will mark for posterity the only spot in Adams county where George Washington is known to have set foot. En route to Philadelphia from a trip through the western part of the state, the first President spent the night of October 24, 1794, at Russell's tavern as he returned from visits to the Carlisle and Cumberland barracks in connection with the Whiskey Rebellion.

Four Certified as Visitors for Re-

Today's Talk**THAT CHEERFUL COUNTERNCE**

HOW GOOD it is to run across a person with a cheerful countenance—one from whose heart something inspiring seems always to be gushing. Stevenson wrote about such a person and described him thus: "He had a fresh laugh; it did you good to see him; and, however sad he may have been at heart, he always bore a bold and cheerful countenance and took misfortune's worst as it were the showers of spring."

I do not think we quite realize what an asset this cheerful countenance amounts to and how it not only buoys up one's own morale and good temper, but scatters and radiates its influence far and wide. How fine it is to know such a person, or to have such a one for a friend. The sun shines with an extra golden hue upon meeting such a person, and if it is a dull, dark day it lights up at once upon such a contact.

The salesman does not have to offer his cheerful countenance for a price to a prospective customer. He gives it to him the moment he faces him—and it remains as a memory when he departs, whether a sale has been made or not.

Most of us have days at a time when we don't feel much like smiling or presenting a cheerful countenance, but we can well keep that fact to ourselves! No one need know about it. We may always keep in reserve that cheerful countenance that cannot be exhibited too much! There is a magic to it.

As you walk about the streets of your town or city, you can easily pick out the happy ones simply by noting their countenance. You don't have to smile in order to present a victorious and inspiring countenance. A look of cheerfulness is evidence of appreciation of the many blessings that all of us experience. A bird shows it in its happy song, and the dog in that habitual wag of the tail. I often pass persons singing softly to themselves upon the street. Their cheerfulness thus running over!

It was the cheerfulness of Charles Lamb that so endeared him to all who knew him. And that is one reason why we like to read his immortal essays. Never will they go out of date. They live because they were such a part of him.

Just FolksBY EDGAR A. GUEST
The Poet of the People**JUNE WEDDING**

One to the left, and one to the right,
With each an usher at her side,
They make a very lovely sight.
The mothers of the groom and bride.

The wedding march at last begins.
The little flower girl appears.

Then, two by two, and dressed like twins,

Eight lovely friends of school-time years.

The minister and groom await
Before the altar, candle-lit.

The maid of honor separate,

The music stirs, the people sit.

Oh, happy, happy groom and bride!
Beyond the day lie grief and care.

God grant you strength when trouble-tried

Whatever must befall to bear.

As arm in arm the church you leave.

Know this: No power can do you harm

While in each other you believe,
And walk together, arm in arm.

THE ALMANAC

June 20—Sun rises 5:31; sets 8:32.
Moon rises 8:13 p. m.
June 21—Sun rises 5:31; sets 8:32.
Moon rises 9:12 p. m.

MOON PHASES

June 21—Full moon.

June 23—Last quarter.

FROM STEM TO STERN

Keeping pace with the changing times can save you a pretty penny should you be unfortunate enough to hit something with one of the front fenders. In the prewar days you could bump and then continue without further damage to the car, but now that the doors are flush with the fender edges you will simply make matters worse unless you immediately stop. I am speaking of brushes with parked cars or the garage door or possibly a high curb. Often the simplest way out of such difficulty is backing up. If the obstruction cannot be removed you may need to jack up the rear of the car and pull it clear of trouble. To keep going after something scrapes a front fender is a sure invitation to a long expensive crease in the car's entire side.

DID YOU KNOW?

That you cannot drain off the cooling system if it is closed type unless you remove the pressure cap?

That if there is paint on the threads of the spark plug holes of the engine head there may be preignition and backfiring on hills because the plugs cannot give off their

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heat efficiently?

That if you garage the car with the doors closed only to the first notch the rubber weather stripping won't be under compression and will thus stay softer much longer.

ONE GOOD TURN

When a reader of these comments on the motor scene had the rear end of his car completely overhauled, including ring gear, pinion, bearings and universal joints he was naturally dismayed when there was every evidence of backlash at low speeds in high gear. He just couldn't get smooth operation. But the situation was a lot brighter when his mechanic reminded him that a rough engine will have very much the same effect if it doesn't fire evenly. They checked the engine and found that it was suffering from a sticky valve, clearly demonstrating that you can't expect smooth propeller shaft rotation when the crankshaft itself isn't spinning normally.

FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

If the cooling system of your car is suspected of sucking in air at higher speeds around the water pump or at the lower hose connection there is a simple test to prove it. Just attach a short length of rubber hose to the end of the radiator overflow pipe and let the loose end of this dangle in a glass jar filled with water. Replace the radiator cap, and run the engine at a good rate of speed after it has warmed up. If you see a lot of bubbles coming from the end of the hose and rising in the jar you can be sure that the system is sucking in too much air.

Such excessive airing of the coolant is a prime cause of rusting. Water, plus metal, plus oxygen gives you the right combination for production of scale throughout head, block and radiator.

PICKED UP EN ROUTE

This year's repair bill for cars is expected to reach seven billion dollars. . . . Back in 1925 the average car's life span was 6.5 years compared to the 12-year span of today. . . . One of the special attractions in 1911 was the Reeves car which had eight wheels and was appropriately named the Octauto. . . . If you are nervous about driving in bad weather remember that over 80 per cent of the accidents occur in clear weather. . . . Over a million new engines were installed in old cars last year. . . . Main bearing journals on a crankshaft can now be measured for wear without removing the shaft from the engine.

Mechanic Joe Speaking:

"Because of the speed at which ingenuity works these days it isn't always possible for your repairman to be wise to everything that is available in the way of short cuts. One editor told me of having investigated a rumor in his city and of having reached the conclusion that some electrical equipment under the street paving might be the reason for the difficulty getting traction. He was willing to concede, however, that the feeling of insecurity may have been due to the tires failing to grip."

I have been hearing these stories for a long time. It is my belief that in most of the cases at least the situation is the result of clutch slippage.

WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND?

Q. I have been told that the noisy operation of the rear end of my car is due to the fact that the ring gear is warped. That's a new one to me. Did you ever hear of it? H. N. L.

A. Yes, it is possible for a ring gear to be warped. When you replace this of course use a new pinion gear as well. A new gear should always be mated with another new one.

Q. What is indicated when an engine refuses to idle slow enough? The throttle shaft doesn't seem to stick. Wm. L. L.

A. There may be a weak throttle return spring or this spring may be rubbing against something. If the carburetor is equipped with a fast idle control there may be something wrong with the adjustments.

Q. The engine seems to run faster than usual when I start off with my car. This model is equipped with a fluid clutch. I notice this even when I use low gear for a start instead of high. J. T. H.

A. There is loss of fluid from the drive unit. This fast operation of the engine is the same thing you would get with a mechanical clutch that is slipping. If fluid gets into the mechanical clutch on your car this too will slip.

Q. What would cause the brakes on my car to be erratic? There seems to be plenty of fluid in the system, and the approved kind. There is no leakage, no air in the lines. The car stops, but in a way that is uncomfortable. In slippery weather this probably results in a skid. I have been careful to see that the tire pressures are equalized. If I use the brakes a lot they seem to improve. K. L. W.

Mr. Russell will answer questions

York Springs

The Rev. Elmer Nunnemaker officiated Sunday at the York Springs Methodist church, beginning his duties as minister of that church to succeed the Rev. Orville V. Warner. The Nunnemakers family are now residing here.

The local Willing Workers' society met during the week at Diltsburg where they were guests of Mrs. Dollie Bushey at her home.

Mrs. B. K. Mowrer, Hanover, a former resident of this area, has been quite ill at her home for several weeks.

William Robinson, a student at Pennsylvania State college, has been spending a short time with his mother, Mrs. Mamie Trimmer.

The average American roach grows to about 1 1/2 inches long and has a normal life span of about 14 months.

A. You have some grease on one or two of the linings.

regarding the safe care and operation of your car. Just address him at 254 Fern street, West Hartford 7, Conn., and enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope for a personal reply. There is no charge.

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REAL WORK OF CONVENTION IS BEHIND SCENES

Washington, June 19 (P)—Don't let the convention applause and the big noise kid you.

What counts is the work done by the political managers among the state delegations, trying to win them over quietly.

This writer saw an example of how little the noise and cheers mean at the Republican convention at Chicago in 1944.

That year the only real contenders were New York's Governor Dewey and Ohio's Governor Bricker—now a senator.

Both men had rented huge ballrooms on the same floor of the Stevens hotel, only a few hundred yards apart.

Bricker's was ablaze with light, afame with flowers. Gigantic pictures of the candidate were hung on the wall.

The pictures, showing Bricker in various stages from boy to governor, were there to win friends and influence people.

Bricker In Person

Bricker himself, white haired and smiling, did his best in person to do what his pictures were trying to do. He stood at the ballroom door, shaking hands with the thousands of delegates and sightseers who poured through.

He kept trying, even though wise heads at the convention said Dewey already had the nomination sewed up.

Down the hall a bit, Dewey's ballroom looked dim as an old barn.

There may have been a sign over the door saying "Dewey" or "welcome" or something. Inside there was one picture of Dewey and almost no lighting.

I never saw Dewey there and I never saw more than a handful of people wandering in to look around. There wasn't much to see except a couple of Dewey workers scribbling away at a table in the corner.

After looking at that a couple of days and nights, I went up to Dewey's real headquarters on an upper floor and found one of his most trusted right-hand men there, alone, in his shirt sleeves.

I tried to needle him. I said, "you fellows had better wake up, Bricker is downstairs shaking hands with everybody in Chicago."

The Dewey man laughed.

I said, "Bricker is talking to a lot of people."

"Let him," the Dewey man said. "We've already done our talking—with the people who are going to give us the votes."

Prediction Correct

And he was right, although Bricker wasn't convinced for a couple days more. Then, for the first time, he went into the convention hall and faced the crowd.

But he only went there to announce he was stepping aside in favor of Dewey.

Yet the crowd screamed and roared for fifteen minutes before he could say a word. If you'd been listening to it over a radio, you'd think they were nominating Bricker.

Then, when they quieted down and Bricker finished his talk, they nominated Dewey.

ALCOA STRIKE IS POSTPONED

Pittsburgh, June 19 (P)—A strike called for midnight Sunday by 18,500 production workers at nine plants of the Aluminum Company of America has been postponed one week.

The postponement was announced last night by Philip Murray, president of both the CIO and the United Steel Workers.

Murray said he was acting at the request of Cyrus S. Ching, head of the Mediation and Conciliation Service of the Federal government. The government stepped into the dispute after negotiations between the steelworkers and ALCOA broke down.

The union is seeking a flat 13-cent-an-hour across the board increase with improved insurance and pension plans and correction of what it terms "wage inequities."

The company has offered to boost

East Berlin

East Berlin—Dr. and Mrs. Oren W. Gunnell, West Codorus, observed the fifth anniversary of their marriage during the week. Mrs. Gunnell was the former Miss Beulah M. Myers, daughter of John Myers.

Oscar Frick, a farmer of this section, reports his recent discovery of a turtle on his place, on the shell of which was marked "1899" and the initials of a man who was a hireling on the Frick farm at the turn of the century.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn A. Weaver and children, Tom and Becky, R. 2, visited relatives in Hanover, their former home, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob B. Solar, Smyrna, Del., spent Sunday here visiting at several homes. Mr. Solar is a son of the late Moses Solar, who resided here for many years. His mother, Mrs. Catherine Solar, now resides with a daughter, Fanny, at Silver Spring, Md.

J. Calvin Lerev has been confined to his home with a sinus condition. His wife has recovered from the recent illness that confined her to bed for more than a week.

L. Guy Kuhn, Hanover, was a visitor of local relatives during the week.

Mrs. Kathleen Wrights Brown and young son, of Hanover, visited recently at the homes of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Wrights, and her sister, Mrs. Harold W. Gross, and their families.

The Paradise township Parent-Teachers association, which was organized this spring, is preparing for a festival to be held at the local high school campus on Saturday evening, June 26. Music will be furnished by the East Berlin high school band, and chicken corn soup, cakes, pies, sandwiches, etc., will be on sale. The P.T.A. recently sponsored an educational bus trip to Philadelphia and Valley Forge, with 41 children and 10 parents making the trip.

A recent graduate of the West York high school is Miss Janet Mae Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Myers, West York, and a granddaughter of John Myers to whom home she is a frequent visitor.

Mr. Emily Phipo and family, formerly of Scotland, Conn., have moved to R. 2, occupying the former William R. Calaway place which they purchased several weeks ago. A group of local friends visited Mr. and Mrs. Calaway last week at their new home at Paoli.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trimmer and son, Robert, with their son-in-



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Pittsburgh, June 19 (P)—A strike called for midnight Sunday by 18,500 production workers at nine plants of the Aluminum Company of America has been postponed one week.

The postponement was announced last night by Philip Murray, president of both the CIO and the United Steel Workers.

Murray said he was acting at the request of Cyrus S. Ching, head of the Mediation and Conciliation Service of the Federal government. The government stepped into the dispute after negotiations between the steelworkers and ALCOA broke down.

The union is seeking a flat 13-cent-an-hour across the board increase with improved insurance and pension plans and correction of what it terms "wage inequities."

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DUFF STRENGTH IN DELEGATION TO BE TESTED

Philadelphia, June 19 (AP)—The first test of Gov. James H. Duff's strength among the 73 Pennsylvania Republican delegates will come tomorrow on the eve of the Pennsylvania national convention.

The Keystone state delegation, regarded by many as the key to the 1948 GOP Presidential nomination, will pass on Duff's stand that all its deliberations during the convention be opened to the press.

As chairman of the delegation, Duff has been reported at loggerheads on party strategy with U. S. Sen. Edward Martin, the state's "favorite son" candidate for President, and G. Mason Owlett, Republican national committeeman and president of the Pennsylvania Manufacturers Association.

VANDENBERG RUMORS

Governor Duff has not declared publicly for any candidate but has strong private views on whom the convention should name as the party's nominee.

He has been reported as leaning toward U. S. Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg because of the Michigan senator's record on world affairs.

Duff, however, has declined all comment on published stories that he is against Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York as the second choice of the Martin-Owlett group.

ONLY TWO COMMITTED

The delegation in addition to Duff, Senator Martin and Owlett includes such other key Pennsylvania leaders as State Sen. M. Harvey Taylor, Republican state chairman, and Mrs. Worthington Scranton, Republican national committeeman. Also a delegate is Joseph N. Pew, Jr., of Ardmore, and Chief Justice George W. Maxey, of the state Supreme Court.

Lt. Gov. Daniel B. Strickler, Lancaster, is vice chairman of the delegation while former Lieutenant Governor Samuel S. Lewis, of York, is delegation secretary.

Only delegates to declare openly for any candidates so far are Jay Cooke, Philadelphia, who is for Harold E. Stassen, and Esdras F. Howell, Scranton attorney, who has announced he will vote for Vandenberg on the first ballot.

New Oxford

New Oxford—Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bothwell, Jr., Phoenixville, are observing the fifth anniversary of their marriage this week. Mrs. Bothwell is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert E. Hemminger.

A son was born last week at the Hanover hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pohlman, near town. Mrs. Pohlman is the former Miss Agnes Horwedel, Hanover.

Another recent birth is that of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Farr Martin, formerly of here. The child was born at the home of the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Zartman, Abbottstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Perry, who were married May 31, have returned from their wedding trip and are residing here.

The last meeting of the Holy Name Society of the local Catholic parish until September was conducted at the parochial hall Monday evening.

A number of large trees in and about town were severely damaged in the windstorm which affected this area Saturday evening.

John P. Smith has recovered from the severe injury to his right arm and shoulder sustained several weeks ago when he fell while participating in a baseball game near town.

The Rev. Robert D. Hartnett, pastor of the Immaculate Conception Catholic church, has announced that a Columbian Father will be here to preach at masses Sunday morning, explaining the work of his order in the mission field and appealing to parishioners for material and spiritual assistance in the work.

Dean Diehl, near here, has been suffering from a fractured wrist sustained last week when he fell from a bicycle.

Mrs. George W. Dunstan, R. 2, is greatly improved after treatment for a severe sciatic attack from which she suffered for a few weeks.

The annual session of the Daily Vacation Bible school, sponsored by Protestant churches of this area, which opened Monday, June 7, was closed Friday. Classes for children from pre-school to high school age were taught by church people of New Oxford, and about sixty pupils were enrolled. The school was conducted at St. Paul's Reformed church with classes each school day morning.

PLAYGROUNDS

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be available as far as possible. An attempt will probably be made to move such things as sliding boards if possible, to the various other centers from the high school grounds, for certain periods.

Family groups are invited to attend the playground activities as well as the children. An attempt is to be made to have quoits and other games for the older folks as well as activities for the youngsters.

An all day playday near the end of the season is planned, with tournaments scheduled to come to a close with final games on that date. Doll shows, pet shows and the like are also being considered for summer activities.

Find My Killer

By MANLY WELLMAN

AP Newsfeatures

Chapter 7

We reached the place where they'd parked a car. Kuhl opened the door and Diane Ealing got in and slid under the wheel. Then Kuhl touched me on the elbow. "Go with her," he said. "I'll talk to you later." He walked away along the street and Diane Ealing started the motor and drove away.

She drove more slowly and carefully than J. D., and it took us some time to reach her home. She looked sideways at me once or twice but didn't talk much and I didn't prompt her. I was thinking.

I began to see how smart Kuhl was. He was a lawyer and knew when and where to stand forward or stand back. He might cause trouble by being close to Diane Ealing now, because somebody might remind the world that he'd been close to her previously. So I hired somebody to look after her interests for him; somebody who already had a stake in the Ealing case, the drawer of Ealing's will. J. D., and I as J. D.'s partner, were almost as legal as his hand.

"The rest I don't know," I said, and finished my brandy and soda. "Now I want to go to the gun room."

Chapter 8

I went into the hall and to the gun room. The light was on.

I studied that smear of blood and tried to decide which way Ealing had fallen. I even got down on one knee, lower my body to the floor to help my guess-work. At once I saw something and put my hand down for it.

"Are you finding everything you want?" asked Diane Ealing's voice.

I straightened up and faced the doorway where she stood. She was giving me the searchlight look again, as if she expected printed letters to pop out on me and give her a message she longed to read. The last time she had stood there looking at me she'd pointed a gun at me.

"Where's your derringer pistol?" I asked her quickly, and she flinched. That moment of surprise gave me time to slip what I'd found inside my coat pocket.

"It's upstairs," she said. "In my bureau drawer."

"I just wanted a good clear impression of that gun room," I said. "Who had a key to it besides your husband?"

"Nobody," and she made another pair of drinks and tucked one glass into my hand. "Dick even cleaned the place himself — wouldn't let Mrs. Pettigrew go in with a broom."

"How often did he sweep out?"

"Each morning. And dusted, too. You have to do that around guns or they'll clog up. Especially delicate collector's item guns."

"Every morning, eh? Including the morning of his—the last morning?"

"Yes." She sipped her drink. "Let's hark back to my derringer. I feel silly advising a detective, but what connection could it have with Dick's death? It's the same make, one of a matched pair. But you know about ballistics, even more than I do. I only heard Dick's talk. Don't guns mark their bullets individually? And wasn't the gun found in Dick's hand the one that killed him?"

"Apparently that's all true," I admitted, "but since I'm hired to find out everything I can, would you lend me the other gun for a few hours?"

"Well, yes, if you really need it." She left the parlor and I heard her go upstairs. When she returned, she held the derringer out to me, butt foremost. I took it and broke it—the barrel was pivoted to break sideways—and shook out the stubby copper cartridge.

"I see you keep it loaded," I remarked.

"There's no sense in having an empty gun in the house," Diane Ealing replied, as though she was a schoolteacher again and lecturing her class. "My husband says—he used to say that you don't need a gun often nowadays, but when you do need it you need it badly and at once."

I put the pistol and the cartridge into my pocket, the one that didn't have what I'd picked up in the gun room.

"Mr. Yates," said Diane Ealing, "you reminded me just now that you were hired to find out everything you could in this case. You mean you will find and expose the killer—no matter who?"

"No matter who," I said, and met the stare of her green eyes full and level, and her eyes were the first to waver.

"Of course," she almost whispered, gazing at the carpet. "That's what you should do."

"I'll be going now," I said.

"Goodbye." She held out her hand. I took it and she held mine firmly. Now those intent green eyes fixed themselves on my hand.

"You have such strong hands," she said, and she seemed to have trouble saying it. "It's good to see strong men on my side. I trust you, Mr. Yates. I want you to trust me and to come and see me again, soon."

I went away, wondering about her. I'd really found out very little. Plenty more waited to be found, perhaps from the Pettigrews—if I could get them away from Diane Ealing who spent part of the time flattering me and the rest trying to listen in. A block and a half from the Ealing house was a corner drug store. I telephoned for a taxi and went out in front to wait for it. Now I took time to bring from my pocket the thing I'd found in Ealing's gun room, the thing at which I hadn't been able to look

as yet.

It was a small bone button, the size that is sewn with two or three others on the cuff of a jacket. But this was a special kind of button, not to be seen on every suit or picked off of every button counter. It was black, with little white flecks in it. It was the same kind of button I'd seen on Dr. Stokes' tweed at the coroner's inquest.

Chapter 9

When I got back to the office building, I sailed up on the elevator and let myself into J. D.'s office with the key she had given me to seal our partnership, bursting to tell her what I'd found and what it probably meant.

But the office was empty. On the desk in the back room I found an envelope with my name written on it. Inside was a note in pencil:

"And the finding of your husband's body?"

"At six o'clock almost exactly," she said. "Pettigrew had been banded. Dr. Stokes and I had a drink together and then we began to wonder about Dick. And the rest you know."

"The rest I don't know," I said, and finished my brandy and soda. "Now I want to go to the gun room."

Littlestown

Littlestown — A Board of Review consisting of Wilbur A. Bankert, Charles and Luther D. Snyder met Wednesday evening at the close of the weekly meeting of Littlestown Boy Scout Troop No. 84 in the scout headquarters in the basement of the State bank building. They report

the following advancements and merit badges: William Jacoby was advanced to the rank of Star Scout; Dean Bankert and Dean Seil were advanced to second class scouts and Richard Kipple was advanced to first class scout. Merit badges were awarded as follows: Victor Reynolds, wood-work, first aid, bird study and printing; Charles Brown, wood-work; William Jacoby, first aid, personal health, bird study and printing; Kenneth Olinger, photography; Robert Koontz, home repairs and firemanship; Richard Wolfe, animal industry; George King, home repairs and Robert Baker, safety. At the regular meeting, plans were made for the troop camp which will be held from June 26 to July 3 at the Natural Dam. A program of activities was arranged. U. Ray Study will serve as cook for this camp.

Twenty-five were present Friday evening in the social hall of Redeemer's Reformed church when there was a joint meeting of the local Girl Scout and Brownies Troop committees and leaders. Mrs. Richard M. Phreaner, president of the Girl Scout organization was in charge. Future plans of the scouts were discussed which will be announced in the near future. The leaders announce that the scouts who expect to attend the day camp at St. John's Church Grove, July 6 to 10 are asked to watch the paper for details before they go to camp.

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WANTED TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY: A HOUSE near Gettysburg. Alvin Sheets, Aspers.

WANTED: FANCY EGGS, WHITE or brown, highest prices paid; also need poultry. R. J. Brendle, New Oxford. Phone 140.

WANTED: BABY'S PLAY PEN, stroller, high chair. Phone Fairfield 2-R-3.

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT: ONE OR two car garage. Phone 547 or 568.

POSITION WANTED

WANTED: POSITION AS BABYSITTER. Phone Gettysburg 272-Y.

HELP WANTED

WANTED: CLERICAL HELP, male and female. Adams Apple Products Corp., Aspers.

USED CARS FOR SALE

GUARANTEED USED CAR SPECIALS

'46 Hudson Sdn., R. & H. \$1,495
'40 Packard Club Cpe., R. & H. \$895

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12 Other Late Model Used Cars

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FOR SALE: 1936 PLYMOUTH DE Luxe coach, \$300. Can be seen anytime during the day. C. W. Bosselman, Route 1, East Berlin, near the Two Churches.

FOR SALE: FORTY-EIGHT PASSENGER Ford School bus, run 30 thousand miles, good tires, best mechanical condition. Russell J. Shatzler, Chambersburg, R. 6, 4 miles north of Greencastle on Molly Pitcher Highway.

FOR SALE: SIX HORSE POWER gasoline engine, \$20.00. James Shultz, two miles west of Cashtown.

FOR SALE: SINGER ELECTRIC sewing machine, in perfect condition. 119 W. Middle, after 4 p.m.

FOR SALE: CHICKEN HOUSE, 12'x26', in good condition. Edgar F. Kimple, Hilltown.

FOR SALE: POTATOES, FIRST and second grade. Robert Garretson, Flora Dale. Phone Biglerville 947-R-21.

FOR SALE: JOHN DEERE CULTIVATOR for A or B tractor, adapted for hydraulic lift. George L. Hartman, Aspers, R. 1.

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE: 1931 PLYMOUTH SEVEN ROOM BRICK HOUSE, practically new, 2 baths, conveniences, steam heat, electricity, barn, 2 modern brooder houses, 6 acres, Marsh Creek Heights. Also adjoining 14 acres good pasture. Can be sold separate or with property. 600 foot building lot frontage on creek.

FRUIT FARM, 7 ROOM HOUSE, bath, conveniences, packing shed, 53 acres bearing apple and peach, 73 acres timber. Running water, electricity.

SERVICE STATION AND ELECTRIC display store. Good location. BUILDING LOT 300X145 FEET, graded, trees planted, stone drive, cellar dug, adjacent to Marsh Creek Heights, on Route 15.

FRUIT FARM, 66 ACRES, 39 acres fruit, 19 acres crop land, 8 acres timber, 8 room house, implement shed, etc. Electric water system at house and barn.

98 ACRE FARM, 14 ACRES TIMBER, 84 acres farm land, 7 room frame house, electric water system, barn, pig pen, chicken house, 2 brooder houses, implement shed, double butcher house. Near Track road. Embly Agency, Ernest Hartman, Representative, Arendtsville.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: ROOMS WITH board in country. Phone Biglerville 911-R-4.

FOR RENT: DOUBLE ROOM, man or couple preferred. 24 West Water Street. Phone 746-X.

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LOST: STRAYED OR STOLEN:

Black and tan Rat Terrier, child's pet, answers to "Major." Reward if returned to Petie Pieffer, 219 Baltimore Street.

WANTED

WANTED: PRACTICAL NURSING and housework. Write Box 34, Times Office.

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE: LOT, 44 HANOVER Street, Gettysburg, 43 foot frontage and 97 feet deep, with extra entrance on Third Street. E. Ray Williams, McKnightstown.

MISCELLANEOUS

FESTIVAL AT WENNSVILLE Methodist Church, July 3rd.

SPOUTING INSTALLED ON buildings anywhere in Adams County. Also roof repair service. Estimates given. Phone 950-R-12-C.

BROOM-MAKING: SAWS AND lawn mowers sharpened. Charles Riffle, 34 West Middle Street.

RUMMAGE SALE AT 117 CARLISLE Street, Saturday, June 26th, open 7 a.m.

NOTICE: I AM STILL IN THE electrical business. Call 958-R-11 for appliance repairing, house wiring or contracting. Will order any appliance needed and save you money. See or call Roy's Appliance Repair Service.

SEPTIC TANKS AND CESS pools cleaned. Rosenberry and Flora, Chambersburg R. D. No. 2, Phone 932-R-16.

DRESSED CHICKENS, FRYERS or roasters. Call Jacob Kayser, Telephone 968-R-23. We deliver.

PEA VINES AVAILABLE FOR feed or mulch. Adams Apple Products Inc., Aspers, Pa.

FESTIVAL MOUNT HOPE E.U.B. Church Hall, Saturday, June 19th.

90-DAY HYBRID CORN, LOWER'S, Table Rock.

ANTIQUES REFINISHED. HOWARD HUMMER, 209 East Middle Street, Gettysburg, Pa.

BINGO PARTY, KARAS' STORE, Thursday and Saturday nights. Everybody welcome.

WALL PAPER AND PAPER hanging. Harry C. Gilbert, Gettysburg.

PIANO TUNING, REBUILDING. Write Everhart Sons, Hanover. Phone 23177.

SEPTIC TANKS AND CESS pools cleaned, sanitary equipment. Max West. Phone Fayetteville 11-R-23.

RADIO REPAIRING. ALL MAKES, models. Baker's Battery service, opposite Post Office.

500 CARD PARTY AT MOOSE Home, York Street, every Monday night at 8:15. Public invited.

WILL TAKE ORDERS FOR FRESH home-made pies and cakes any time until September first. Mrs. Pinkney Hess, 47 Breckenridge Street, Phone 265-Z.

LAWN MOWER, SHARPENING, saw filing, bicycle repairing, wheels repaired. Hughes, rear 248 Baltimore St., pickup and delivery. Phone 708-W after 5:00 p.m.

MAYTAG WASHERS: IMMEDIATE delivery. Kleppinger's, Fairfield. Phone 45.

WILL BE CLOSED UNTIL Tuesday Morning at 7 A. M.

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